

CAMPAIGN FINANCE DIVISION

DATE: 5/3/2021 DOCKET #:

FILER INFORMATION

Name: Ree J. Casey-Jones

Office: Judge, Juvenile Court, Elec. Sect. 1C

Parish: CADDO

Election Date: 11/3/2020 Level of Office: District

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: 30-P

Original Due Date: 10/5/2020 Date Filed: 10/13/2020 Activity Receipts: \$493.45

Expenditures: \$550.00

Funds at Close of Reporting Period: \$0

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$480

Days Late: 8

Late Fee Order Received: 11/6/2020

Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 11/26/2020

Waiver Request Received: 11/12/2020 Additional Information Requested:

MedicalFinancial

- Other

COMMENTS: Candidate submitted the waiver request and states that due to the pandemic that the candidate and her treasurer suffered the loss of close family members and friends. She said that several members of her staff have been ill. She states that just recently the have had to shut the courthouse for the third time this year due to COVID. She said that it is very stressful resetting court dates and having to figure out how to conduct hearings from home as well as assisting her young child with virtual learning while at home. She said they have closed the election and set reminders in an electronic calendar for future filings for the next election in 2026.

OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Campaign Finance:

Other Outstanding Reports: No Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees: yes Reassessed Late Fees: No

Disclosure Statements:

Other Outstanding Late Fees: No

Prior Late Fees:

November 11, 2020

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State of Louisiana
Department of State Civil Service
Louisiana Board of Ethics
Attn: Melissa Horn
PO Box 4368
Baton Rouge, LA 70821

RE: Late fee assessment for the November 3, 2020 election/ 2020 30-P Campaign Finance Disclosure Report

Dear Ms. Horn:

Please be advised that I have received notice of my delinquent filing and the late fee assessment in the amount of \$480.00.

Due to the pandemic, me and my treasurer suffered the loss of close family members and friends. Additionally, several members of my staff have been ill. Just recently, we have had to shut our courthouse down for the third time this year due to a number of employees becoming ill with the Covid-19 virus. It has been very stressful resetting court dates and having to figure out how to conduct hearings from home as well as me assisting my young child with virtual learning while at home.

Filing all reports timely with the Ethics Board is very important and I am not making light of my late filing. My personal issues are just that...personal. However, I am asking due to the issues as a result of the pandemic and the overall stress of 2020, the fees assessed to my committee are waived.

We have filed the committee's final report for this election and we have made sure to set reminders in our electronic calendars for future filings for the next election in 2026.

I apologize for any inconvenience this late filing may have caused. I can assure you that this was not an intentional failure to act on my part. It was definitely an oversight.

If you have any questions at all, please do not hesitate to contact me. I look forward to your response.

With the kindest regards, I remain

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Committee to Elect Ree Casey-Jones \$6.95



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